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Men's Blue Stripe Overalls \$1.25 per pair
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Patriotic Fund Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Blaimore Branch of the Patriotic Fund was held at the Oddfellows' hall on Wednesday night, when the report of the work of the past year was read by the secretary and matters in connection with the future work of the Fund were discussed.

From the report it was shown that during the year the committee held some twelve or more meetings, all of which were well attended. Of those elected on the committee at the annual meeting in January, 1914, all remain "at the present," with the exception of the late Mr. D.A. Sinclair, Dr. E. H. Gray, Mr. L. G. Eaton and Mr. W. Shaw. Mr. Shaw resigned the presidency several months ago, the vacancy being filled by the election of Mr. J. E. Gillis, who has held that office until the present.

The average number of beneficiaries of this branch throughout the year was about twenty, while the average amount paid out per month prior to November 1st last, was \$455.00. Since November 1st, owing to increase in allowances, the average has been \$540.00. The average receipts for 1914 were about \$315 per month, while the amount sent in to the head office at Calgary averaged \$310.00 monthly.

Receipts and disbursements for the year were as follows:

RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand Jan. 1st, 1917	\$ 63.15
Employees W.C.C.Co.	1,842.55
Office Staff W.C.C.Co.	296.65
Employees McLaren Lumber Co.	907.00
Regular Monthly Subscribers	859.75
Patriotic Dance January 30th	90.00
Benefit Show by C. W. Johnston	10.00
Andrew Edgar	20.00
Total Receipts	\$3,822.90

Disbursements:

Sent to Head Office, Calgary	\$3,700.00
Scorecard's allowance for Postage, etc.	78.00
Printing	7.50
Tabulating list of subscribers	10.00
A. W. Robbins, auto trips to Frank	2.00
Delegate to Calgary Convention	13.50
Balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1917	11.90
Total	\$3,822.90

Communications from the secretary of the South Alberta Branch were read and considered, and it was decided to suspend solicitation for subscriptions on behalf of The Fund, but instead to ask those who have been contributing monthly to The Fund to continue subscribing to The Red Cross instead, and also to appeal to the miners and other industrial employees to consider the welfare of the latter organization, which today was in urgent need of all the financial assistance available.

A committee of five was elected from the meeting on Wednesday night, who are to act as an advisory board. That committee comprises Mr. J. E. Gillis, Mr. J. F. Hunter, Mr. J. B. Harner, Mrs. W. Howe, Mrs. F. M. Pinkney, the first three mentioned being president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer respectively.

Stirring addresses were delivered by Messrs. Gillis, Hunter and others.

Refreshments were served by the ladies and the meeting brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

U. S. Transport Is Sunk By Sub

The British steamer Tuscania, with 2,170 United States' soldiers aboard, was torpedoed and sunk by a submarine off the north-west coast of Ireland. The loss of life is now estimated at about 100. This is the first great disaster in the war to America's armed forces.

The Tuscania was a British passenger and freight steamship of 14,345 tons gross register. She was built in Glasgow in 1914 and was owned by the Anchor line. The last report of the Tuscania was her arrival at an Atlantic port.

The submarine which torpedoed the Tuscania was attacked by a destroyer, and is believed to have been destroyed.

Blaimore Boy Is Wounded

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson today received a message, stating that their son, Private George Patterson, was suffering from shell wounds.

George is the youngest of five brothers who are serving in the trenches, and is the first to be officially reported wounded.

I.S.W.L. At Frank

Owing to unforeseen circumstances, there was quite a change made in the directorate of the League at a general meeting held on Wednesday at the Sanatorium. For medical reasons, Pte Graham retired from the president's chair, and Corporal Simmonds and Pte Francis, having been transferred from the institution, left vacancies on the directorate. The directors considered it better to have a complete change and "appealed to the country." The result of the ballot for election of a new directorate was as follows:

President--Sergt. J. B. Stubbs.
Vice-Pres--Sergt.-Major Darknell.
Secretary--Pte C. G. Ferguson.
Directors--Pte C. W. Shipley, Pte Merry, Pte Cullin, Sergt. G. Pollard, Lieut. Carter, Capt. Ritchie.

This change in office bearers also caused a reconstruction of the committee. Lieut. Carter was appointed chairman of the entertainments committee and Pte Shipley takes over the sports.

The entertainments committee are arranging for a concert to be held on Thursday next.

Samuel Parker Killed at Bellevue

A fatality occurred at Bellevue mine of the West Canadian Collieries, Ltd., early this afternoon, in which Samuel Parker, one of the most experienced miners of the district, lost his life.

Samuel Parker, as far as we can learn, came to his death through a fall of cap-rock. He was about 40 years of age, and is survived by a wife and two children, a boy of about 15 and a girl of about 13, residing at Maple Leaf, near Bellevue.

Coroner Pinkney was summoned and is conducting a preliminary inquest.

Interment will likely take place at Blaimore on Sunday afternoon.

The Alberta Legislature opened on Thursday.

!Stock Taking!

-Sale is now on-

At Kafoury's

Great Reductions
In Men's Suits, Hats & Caps, Shirts, Underwear, Boys' Suits, Dress Goods, Prints, Flannels, Hosiery, Trunks, Suit Cases, Lincolns, Felts, and a number of lines of Shoes to clear.

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Crockery at cost price. B.C. Potatoes \$2.75 per 100 lbs.
Good Dry Onions 5c pound
Bulk Vinegar 75c gallon. Spices, 3 cans for 25 cents
Mince Meat, 4-pound pail 75c
Shelled Almonds 55c pound. Large Raisins 15c pound
Chase & Saurborn's Coffee, 2-pound can 85c
Best Bulk Currants 35c pound. Lobster, 3 cans for 95c
Heinz's Pickles 30 cents a bottle to clear
Canned Soups 15c can. Pacific Brand Milk 7 cans \$1.00
Pearline Washing Powder 3 pkts 25c
Baking Soda, 1-pound packet 10c. English Tiles 10c pck
Ammonia 15c bottle. Toilet Paper, 7 pkts 50c
Split Peas 10c lb. Brown Beans 10c lb.
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- Extend credit, as does the local merchant;
- Sell as good quality of goods as the local merchant;
- Show goods before they are paid for.

Buy at Home-

Cowley Happenings

Miss Edith Gilson is visiting in Tennessee district.

Miss Mary McDougall, of Fernie is visiting in town.

The Tanner school has reopened with Miss Terrill in charge.

Mrs. VanAllen is on the sick list, we regret to say.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin were in town on Tuesday.

Born, on February 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Freeman, a daughter.

J. Kemmis has gone to Edmonton to attend the session of legislature.

Jack Sheffield has returned from attending the wedding of his sister at Calgary.

Mr. McKason, of Tennessee district, is taking a tractor course in Calgary at present.

Emile Fortier is laid up with rheumatism. He is bed-fast and has been compelled to have a physician attend him.

Charles Crawford has returned from Calgary with his bride. They are spending a few days on their ranch before moving to town.

The Canadian Amusement Company gave a concert and dance in the town hall on Friday night, which was well attended and an enjoyable time is reported.

Mr. Hargrove, while carrying a load of books to the school on Monday, had the misfortune of spraining one leg so badly that on Tuesday night he was obliged to go to the Pincher Creek hospital. We hope he is not in a serious condition.

On the 22nd of February, Mr. Robert Littleton will give a concert in the town hall in aid of the Red Cross. We bank on this being worth coming to hear, as Mrs. Littleton is thorough in all her undertakings. You will miss a treat if you do not come and hear what she has to give.

On Saturday afternoon last a large crowd gathered in the town hall, when the Red Cross Juniors gave an "At Home," which was one of the greatest hits of the season. Merry-making began by dancing, which was broken by some of the most popular patriotic songs, a few good instrumental stories, games, etc. We had the extreme good fortune of having with us Mr. Hall, Mrs. Harriman and Miss Groes, all famous musicians, who gave some splendid patriotic songs and music in their pleasing and skilful manner, which was loudly applauded. The quilt, which was raffled, was won by Ralph Veitch, and donated by him to the society to be auctioned off. All told, the proceeds amounted to \$39.10. A dainty and delicious lunch was now served to hungry appetites. Having satisfied them on this score, this most successful affair broke up by ringing the National Anthem.

Three hundred people from the Province of Alberta were one day recently registered at a Los Angeles hotel.

Local and General

Rev. James Fulton last present enjoying a holiday visit at Edmonton, and hopes to return to his duties as pastor of Central Union church early next week.

We ask to be pardoned for having inadvertently noticed a fellow grasping a situation" on Monday night. Had we been in the habit of wearing a hat, we certainly would have kept the matter under it.

J. C. Hendry, a barrister, formerly of Aberdeen, Scotland, has recently become associated with D. H. Elton in practice at Lethbridge. Mr. Hendry practiced for some years at Aberdeen, and came out to Athabasca Landing some years ago, and had been practicing at Coleman until very recently. His family have taken up residence in Coleman.

A special meeting of the local lodge of the I.O.O.F. was held on Saturday night last for the purpose of receiving a visit from Grand Master Robert A. Parker, of Calgary. About fifty members of the lodge were in attendance, about thirty of the number being members of Bellevue lodge. Following the meeting the members sat down to a lunch provided at the Chink's emporium.

Private Harold Hurst, returned veteran in Edmonton, has a good word to say for the C.P.R. After three years of service in France, he was invited home, and his wife and two children who were in England, preceded him. On the way home from St. John's, one of the children developed measles, and the C.P.R. officials very graciously attached a special coach to the train from North Bay to Edmonton for their use. The soldier's wife and family were shown every courtesy, and everything possible for their comfort was done, even to giving medical attention free. It affords us a great deal of pleasure to relate this fact, for we are not told that "our patients have no souls." Evidently the C.P.R. is an exception. Hats off to them! —High River Times.

Do It Now!

"If with pleasure you are viewing Any work a man is doing, If you like him or you love him now!"

Don't withhold your appreciation 'Till the person makes oration, And he lies with noisy lilies on his brow;

For no matter how you shout it, He really won't care about it; He won't care how many teardrops you have shed,

If you think some praise is due him, Now's the time to slip it to him, For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead.

More than fame and more than money Is the comment kind and sunny, And it gives you heart and spirit to the end.

Perhaps he's waiting, yearning, sighing, And the days are swiftly flying, While the ups and downs of life his ways attend.

If he earns you praise bestow it; If you like him, let him know it. Let the words of true encouragement be said.

Do not wait till life is over, And he's underneath the clover, For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead. —Ex.

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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in accordance with the provisions of the Irrigation Act, the McLAUREN LUMBER COMPANY have filed the necessary memorial and plans required by sections 15 and 16 of the said Act, with the Commissioner of Irrigation, at Calgary, Alta. The applicant company applies for the right to impound water in CROW'S NEST RIVER at a point on the north-west quarter of Section 10, Township 5, Range 5, West of the 5th Meridian, for "other" purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed, to enable the water so impounded to be used for the said "other" purposes in facilitating their lumbering operations.

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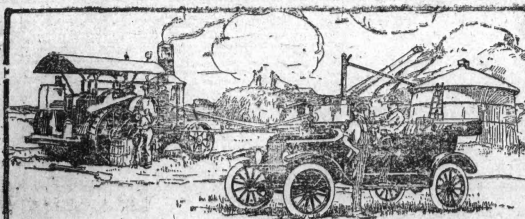
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allow her a margin for saving, would encourage
thrift, and give her a feeling of partnership and a
keener interest in the financial progress of the family.

Headquarters Branch, Bellevue Branch, 221, M. Windsor, Manager.
Hillcrest, sub. to Bellevue.

Blind Children's Fund

We have received a number of
subscriptions for the Halifax Blind
Children's Relief Fund, and a list
of subscribers will appear in our
next issue.

Central Union Church

Service on Sunday at 11.15 a.m. and
7.30 p.m.
A memorial service will be held in
the evening at 7.30 for the late Private John
Dixon.
Sunday school at 10.30 a.m. and 2.30
p.m.
Pastor, Rev. James Fulton.

Frank Methodist Church

Service every Sunday at 7.30 p.m.
Subject on Sunday evening will be
"The Church and The Mines' Union."
Sunday school at 2.30.
Rev. W. T. Young, Pastor.

Anglican Church

Service on Sunday next at 11
a.m., conducted by the Rev. H.
Clay. Subject of the address: "Christ
Healing the Blind."
Sunday school at 2.30. Superintendent,
Mrs. F. Wright.
A hearty welcome to all.

Sergt. J. Mack, of the Frank
Military Hospital, leaves tonight
for his home in Winnipeg. Sergt.
Mack's condition has greatly im-
proved during the past few months.

The Holland-American Lin-
eamship Nieuw — Amsterdam,
which sailed from Rotterdam Jan-
uary 25th, after a long period of
delay in that harbor, arrived at an
Atlantic port safely on Wednes-
day of this week.

Mr. B. J. C. Stead, of the C.P.R.
natural resources department, who
has recently returned to Calgary
from New York and Chicago, says
that the war has hit Canada harder
than Canada has yet had an idea of,
in that it has on nearly in res-
taurants has been imposed, so that
he had to pay six cents war tax on
a meal he took in a restaurant in
Chicago.

First and Last-A Newspaper

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The War

DAY by day the grim fight for
freedom goes on. Who among
us is not interested in its pro-
gress? Many are vitally concern-
ed. Fresh news, authentic news, is de-
manded. So there is maintained at
immense cost a vast system of news-gathering. Its
product is supplied to those newspapers who can
afford to buy it. The price is high. Since the world
awoke to the awful tragedy of the war THE
HERALD has spared neither effort or expense to
supply its readers with a full, authentic War News
Service.

Briefly, The Herald carries more real news than
any other paper published between Winnipeg and
the coast.

EXCLUSIVELY, THE HERALD PUBLISHERS—
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Kenzie, both closely in touch with Canadian
troop happenings at the front. Also the full
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to the Circulation Manager, The
Herald, Calgary, you will receive The
Herald daily for four months.

Mrs. A. M. Moe, of Frank, is
visiting in Lethbridge, where her
brother, Private Bruce Davies, D.
C.M., has just arrived from over-
seas.

John Koltenbrunner, a wealthy
German of Bulyes, Saskatchewan,
has been fined \$500 and costs for
preventing his two sons from reg-
istering under the Military Service
Act.

The proprietors of fifteen cafes
and restaurants at Lethbridge, where
this week convicted of infractions
of the Lord's Day Act and were
fined \$5 and costs each. One of
the guilty parties was named
Christ.

"The Women's Institutes of Al-
berta are holding a convention in
Edmonton March 6th, 7th, and
8th at the Macdonald Hotel and
it is expected that there will be
about eight hundred delegates
present. A very interesting pro-
gramme has been planned, includ-
ing some of our leading women
speakers of the day, among them
being Mrs. Nellie McClung, Mrs.
Arthur Murphy, Edmonton, Dr.
Helen MacMurchy, Toronto, Miss
Hazel Winter, superintendent of
Institutes in New Brunswick,
Lieut. Roberta McDermid, M.P.P.
for overseas, and Mrs. Joan Mul-
drew, director of domestic science
in the Food Control Department.

Origin of the high infant
mortality in Alberta the
slogan for the Alberta Institutes
this year is "Save the babies."
Ways and means of perpetuating
this campaign will be discussed.
There will also be other rural prob-
lems discussed and it is hoped that
the convention will have definite
results in making the life of the
rural women as satisfying as that
of her sister in the city. All the
delegates and members attending
of the convention are requested to
purchase a single fair ticket to
Edmonton and obtain from the
ticket agent at the starting points
"Standard Certificate."

Private Railway Guard, taken
on the strength of Pincher Creek,
is reported wounded.

German Field Marshall Von
Hindenburg insists that by next
April he will be in Paris.

Vincent Ruzicka, of the Malina
Company, Frank, paid a business
visit to Calgary this week.

It makes a bald-headed man
mad to think that he has to shave
every day where he doesn't need
any hair.

It is reported that William Mar-
coni will replace Count Macchi Di
Celere, Italian ambassador at
Washington.

At the Frank Methodist church
on Sunday night next, Rev. W. T.
Young will preach from the sub-
ject, "The Church and The Mines'
Union."

If the party who lost "two bills"
at the opera house, on Wednesday
night would call at The Enterprise
and pay fifty cents for this space,
he can obtain same.

Mr. I. Wilson, postmaster at
Frank, received a visit on Thurs-
day, stating that his wife was in a
dying condition in a hospital at
Calgary. Mr. Wilson immediately
left for Calgary.

Private Donald, who had been a
patient for a considerable period at
the Frank Military Hospital,
died at that institution on Sunday
morning last. His remains were
taken to his home near Hanns,
Alta., for interment.

Roy McEachern, son of Mr. and
Mrs. J. S. McEachern, Lethbridge,
has joined the Royal Flying Corps
and reports in Toronto on March
1st. Roy is well known in Blair-
more, having at one time been
clerk in the Royal bank.

The annual congregational meet-
ing of Frank Methodist church was
held on Wednesday night and was
well attended. The meeting was
addressed by Rev. Mr. Young, the
pastor, and Rev. Arthur Barnard,
superintendent of Indian mis-
sions.

The marriage of Miss Annie Mc-
Leod to Mr. Stacey Smith took
place at the home of the bride's
parents on Wednesday night. The
ceremony was performed by the
Rev. W. T. Young, of Frank, in
the presence of a few immediate
friends. After the ceremony the
young couple entrained for Macleod,
where they make their future home.

A grand concert will be given in
the Church hall at Frank on Wed-
nesday night, March 6th, under
the auspices of the Methodist
church. Some excellent talent is
being secured, including Miss G.
K. Trotter, teacher in expression
at Alberta College, Edmonton, Miss
Larum, of Pincher Creek, and others.

Special provision has been made
for the reunion of parliamentary
men in the case of returned soldiers
who apply for pensions of divorce
and gain, as where wives in delinquency
is proven before the divorce com-
mittee and parliament. The fee
in question total about \$200, plus
the expense of advertising the no-
tice of petition in the Canada Ga-
zette.

The hockey juniors of Blairmore
were entertained to a good game of
hockey by the juniors of Frank on
Saturday afternoon last. The
score of the Saturday previous was
somewhat reversed and the local
squares took defeat with the broadest
smiles. There is lots of good ma-
terial in the present young blood
of The Fair, and we may look for-
ward to some interesting games.

The war is costing the United
States nearly \$24,000,000 a day.

A free dance is to be given at the
Alberta hotel on tomorrow, Satur-
day night.

A meeting of Macleod Presby-
tery will be held at Lethbridge on
February 19th and 20th.

Mrs. Neil Scott, of Macleod, is
spending a few days with Mr.
Allen Young, at Frank.

Hun submarines are now being
destroyed or captured by the Allies
at the rate of thirty-eight per
month.

As a result of the hockey match
put on at the Frank rink on Mon-
day night, \$3.15 was netted for the
Red Cross.

The Austrians are now feeding
on horse meat. If it gives them
horse sense it may bring peace
nearer.

Two Culeman householders were
convicted this week of infractions
of the Liquor Act, and assessed
\$100 and costs each.

The captain and pilot of the
Musi Blanc have been arrested at
Hull, held on the charge of being
criminally negligent.

It appears that just before the
Lethbridge Day Alliance members
inactive over in Germany, the Hun
aircraft are allowed to do most of
their work on Sundays.

Messrs. Malina & Company have
opened up a general dry goods
store at Frank, and we understand
are doing a rushing trade. Vinc
Ituzicki is at present in charge.

"Bob" Patterson, of Macleod,
and Harry Gunn, of Brockton, were
in town on Wednesday for the
purpose of installing the officers of
the Masonic Chapter at Hillcrest.

The greatest single obstacle to
the efficient conservation of Cana-
da's forest resources has been the
patronage system of making ap-
pointments in fire-protection ser-
vice.

A fair audience greeted the vaude-
ville show put on at the opera
house Thursday night by Hall
& Co. After the show a dance was
given, music being supplied by the
company's orchestra.

Our problem is to feed the Allies
by sending them as much food as
we can of the most concentrated
nutritive value, in the least ship-
ping space. These foods are wheat,
beef, pork, dairy products and
sugar. Our solution is to eat less
of these and more of other foods
of which we have an abundance, and
to waste less of all foods.

As a result of a conference at
Ottawa, Hon. A. J. McLean of Al-
berta reports that each province
will provide the accommodation
for its own quota of mentally af-
flicted soldiers, the expense to be
borne by the Dominion govern-
ment. He added that the authori-
ties at Ottawa claimed that the
percentage of returned soldiers who
were insane was very small, and
that of these, quite half of them
had been predisposed to mental de-
 rangement either through heredi-
 tary or other causes before joining
the army.

Mr. C. W. Johnston has just had
installed at the opera house a new
model 8-A cinematograph, the only
one in the Province of Alberta out-
side the big cities now in operation.
The machine was imported direct
from Chicago and was set in opera-
tion for the first time this week.
The machine is operated by a one-
third horsepower electric motor,
which is supplied current through an
independent transformer, so that
there will be no fluctuation of
current and besides the pictures
will be steadier and more regular.

It's fine to have (ain) but don't
let the fine cost more than the
fun.

David W. Oliver returned Tues-
day morning from a visit to his
home near Telford, N.S.

Gorman U boats have done to
death 14,120 non-combatant Brit-
ish men, women and children.

Capt. H. A. Pearson, late with
the Y.M.C.A. in France, will take
charge of the military work of the
Y.Y. in Alberta and British Colum-
bia.

A Chinaman bailed at our office
yesterday and informed us that
"Next week no more sugar," so
the food controller's advice must
be fast reaching.

K. Smallwood is installing an
up-to-date vulcanizing plant, which
we understand is to be operated by
his eldest son Harry, who has re-
cently returned from overseas.

The service at Central Union
church on Sunday evening will
take the form of a memorial ser-
vice for the late Private John Hus-
ton, who was killed in action Sep-
tember in France.

Thomas Duncan, who for the
past few years has been provincial
clerk at Vardner, B.C., has been
transferred to Hull River, the
Wardner station being closed tem-
porarily.

The South Alberta Grain Grow-
ers' Supply Company has been in-
corporated under the Ordinance of
the "university" territories, with
headquarters at Tabor, and a capi-
talization of \$500,000.

The Frank Branch of the Red
Cross Society desire to thank the
Bordenians of Frank for a subscrip-
tion amounting to \$7.00, which
amount realized from a dance
given at Frank last week.

Special provision has been made
for the remission of parliamentary
fees in the case of returned soldiers
who apply for pensions of divorce
and gain, as where wives in delinquency
is proven before the divorce com-
mittee and parliament.

Here's an interesting item that
appeared in a recent issue of the
Lethbridge Herald: "The Hillcrest
school was destroyed by fire at
Moose Jaw." And still Hillcrest
people refuse to admit that
the fire is outside the windline
zone.

R. A. Parker, Grand Master of
the Grand Lodge of Alberta, I.O.
O.F., paid an official visit to Vi-
ctoria Rebekah Lodge at Culeman
on Saturday last. It had been
planned that he should visit a
meeting called specially for that
purpose on Friday night, but cir-
cumstances ruled otherwise.

The Alberta appeal court has
dismissed the appeal of Adam
Nigel, accused of the murder of his
wife near Medicine Hat on
January the 27th, 1917, and ac-
cused must expiate the crime on
the gallows on March 28. Nigel
was convicted of murder at Medi-
cine Hat, after a trial lasting this
ten days. The evidence in the
case covers 1700 pages in the ap-
pel book of the Alberta supreme
court.

Application is to be made at the
next session of the Alberta Leg-
islature for an Act to incorporate the
Calgary & Southwestern Railway
Company, for the purpose of lay-
ing out, constructing and operating
a railway from a point within or
near the city of Calgary, by the
most feasible route to a point on
the western boundary of the pro-
vince in township 18, 19 and 20,
also from a point on the said rail-
way to a point at or near the town
of Okotoks.

The Kaiser is now planning a
war against the Emperor of Hades.

A new tubular sanatorium for
returned soldiers is likely to be
built in Kamloops, B.C.

Mrs. Paxton is said to be the
world's greatest lady speaker—of
the public platform market.

Private Henry Raymond was
down from Ogden for a few days
this week.

A. B. Hillier, representing the
Columbia Paper Co., Vancouver,
was in town on Monday.

Mrs. H. H. Fitzsimons re-
turned the early part of the week
from a visit to Winnipeg.

Mrs. J. H. Farmer returned this
week from an extended holiday
spent in western Canada.

COLEMAN TOWN BAND—
Music for Dancing. Any number
of players supplied. Apply to G.
Hillier, secretary.

Rev. W. T. Young officiated at
the morning service at Central
Union church on Sunday last, and
G. W. Christie, of Bellevue, pre-
sided in the evening.

Mr. E. Pick celebrated his tak-
ing over of the Alberta hotel by
giving a free dance on Monday
night, which was very largely at-
tended by the elite.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Rail-
way will spend \$250,000 this
year in Prince Rupert on a big
railway station to meet all require-
ments for passenger, mail, express
and round house at Cameron Cove
and a thousand foot wharf.

The Edmonton Bulletin declares
that the single tax discourages the
ownership of land, and the Calgary
Alberta declares that it does no
such thing, that it discourages
speculation in land and the building
of land out of cultivation, and that
it encourages the ownership of as
much land as a man can make use
of.

In a letter received from Capt.
David Fraser, he states that a short
time ago, while he was in a strange
part of the line, just looking it
over, on going down one of the
trenches a piece of newspaper in
the trench attracted his attention.
He picked it up and there to his
surprise was a well-worn portion
of the Herald. It was wonder-
ful how old friends meet.

A Derby recruit was brought up
for medical inspection, and the
doctor asked him:

"Have you any defects?"
"Yes, I am short-sighted."
"How do you prove it?"
"Easily enough, doctor. Do
you see that nail up on the wall?"
"Yes."
"Well, I don't."

"It says here, 'One of the idols
most revered by the Korans is the
figure of a woman, seated, resting
her chin in her hand,'" said Mrs.
Chatterley, reading from the news-
paper.

"Which proves that the Korans
are about the wisest nation on
earth," suggested her husband.

"How's that, Joshua?"
"Well," said Mr. Chatterley,
with distinct emphasis, "simply
because they make a deity of a
woman who has come enough to
give her chin a rest."

Hereafter no more than one
newspaper in one parcel can be
sent to Great Britain. This order
has been issued by the British gov-
ernment, and instructions have
been sent to the offices throughout
Canada. In the past a bundle of
newspapers could be sent to any
one wrapper. The order does not
apply to France or Belgium. No
reasons have been given for this
change.